Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A method for removing duplicate records produced from gathering statistics concerning network data packets comprises:

determining whether a session key associated with ~~the~~ a network record maps to an active session and, if the session key maps to an active session, determining whether a record key associated with the ~~NAR~~ network record exists within the session;

dropping the network record if the session key exists in the session.

2.(Original) The method of claim 1 further comprising:

receiving network packets; and

producing from the network packets the network records that contain statistics derived from the network packets.

3. (Original) The method of claim 1 further comprising:

routing the network records to an order enhancing node to perform the actions of determining and dropping.

4. (Currently Amended)The method of claim 1 further comprising:

determining whether the session key maps to an already propagated session key and dropping the ~~NAR~~ network record if the session key maps to an already propagated session key.

5. (Currently Amended)The method of claim 1 further comprising:

passing through the ~~NAR~~ network record if the ~~NAR~~ network record is a pass through type ~~NAR~~ network record that is not tracked.

6. (Currently Amended)The method of claim 1 wherein if the session key does not map to an active session, the method further comprising:

adding the session key to an active sessions table; and adding the ~~NAR~~ network record as part of the session.

7. (Original) The method of claim 1 further comprising:

determining whether the session is complete.

8. (Currently Amended)The method of claim 7 wherein if the session is complete, sequencing all ~~NAR's~~ network record in the session according to a record number sequence.

9. (Original) The method of claim 8 further comprising:

propagating to an output file all ~~NARS~~ network record according to record number sequence for the session.

10. (Currently Amended)The method of claim 7 further comprising:

removing the session from the active session table and session time table after propagating ~~NAR's~~ network record to the output file.

11. (Original) The method of claim 7 further comprising:

adding the session to a process session list.

12. (Original) The method of claim 1 further comprising:

determining if the session key maps to an already propagating session and if so dropping the network record.

13. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein the network packets are provided by use of a wireless networking protocol.

14. (Original) The method of claim 13 further comprising:

adding the session key to a session list if the session key does not map to an already propagated session.

15. (Currently Amended) A method for removing duplicate records produced from gathering statistics concerning network data packets transmitted by a wireless protocol comprises:

determining if a session key associated with a network record maps to an already propagating session and if so dropping the network record.

16. (Currently Amended)The method of claim 15 further comprising:

determining whether a session key associated with the network record maps to an active session and, if the session key maps to an active session, determining whether a record key associated with the ~~NAR~~ network record exists within the session.

17. (Original) The method of claim 16 further comprising:

dropping the network record if the session key exists in the session.

18. (Original) The method of claim 16 further comprising:

adding the network record to the session if the session key does not exist in the session.

19. (Original) The method of claim 16 further comprising:

determining whether the protocol of the network transmission allows for determining if the session is complete.

20. (Currently Amended)The method of claim 16 wherein if the session is complete,

sequencing all ~~NARs~~ network record in the session according to a record number sequence;

propagating to an output file all ~~NARS~~ network record according to record number sequence for the session; and

removing the session from the active session table and session time table after propagating ~~NARs~~ network record to the output file.

21. (Currently Amended)A computer program product residing on a computer readable media for removing duplicate records produced from gathering statistics concerning network data packets comprises instructions for causing a computer to:

determine whether a session key associated with ~~the~~ a network record maps to an active session and, if the session key maps to an active session;

determine whether a record key associated with the ~~NAR~~ network record exists within the session; and

drop the network record if the session key exists in the session.

22. (Currently Amended)The computer program product of claim 21 further comprising instructions to:

determine whether the session key maps to an already propagated session key; and

drop the ~~NAR~~ network record if the session key maps to an already propagated session key.

23. (Currently Amended)The computer program product of claim 21 further comprising instructions to:

pass through the ~~NAR~~ network record if the ~~NAR~~ network record is a pass through type ~~NAR~~ network record.

24. (Currently Amended)The computer program product of claim 21 further comprising instructions to:

add the session key to an active sessions table; and

add the ~~NAR~~ network record as part of the session, if the session key does not map to an active session.

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25. (Currently Amended)The computer program product of claim 21 further comprising instructions to:

determine whether the session is complete; and if the session is complete,

sequence all ~~NARs~~ network record in the session according to a record number sequence.

26. (Currently Amended)A data collection system comprising:

a processor;

a memory storing a computer program product for execution in the processor, for removing duplicate records produced from gathering statistics concerning network data packets comprises instructions for causing a processor to:

determine whether a session key associated with the network record maps to an active session and, if the session key maps to an active session;

determine whether a record key associated with the ~~NAR~~ network record exists within the session; and

drop the network record if the session key exists in the session